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SUBJECT: OFFICIAL GOES INQUIRY CONCERNING DEATH OF SALVADORAN
CITIZEN IN CALIFORNIA JAIL

1. LOCAL PRESS APRIL 5 CARRIED STORY THAT MINISTRY OF
FOREIGN RELATIONS HAS REQUESTED FROM GOVERNMENT OF U.S.
INFORMATION CONCERNING CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE DEATH OF SALVADOR
EDGARDO REYES. PRESS ACCOUNT STATES THAT REYES, SALVADORAN CITIZEN,
AGE 28, HAD BEEN ARRESTED WHILE ON MONTH'S VACATION IN U.S.
AND PLACED IN JAIL NEAR LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA. REYES DIED ON
MARCH 8 AND HIS BODY WAS RETURNED TO EL SALVADOR MARCH 21.
REYES' FAMILY STATED THAT THEY HAD BEEN INFORMED HE DIED
OF HEART ATTACK.

2. FAMILY HAS REQUESTED ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, WHICH RESULTED
IN OFFICIAL REQUEST PRESUMABLY FROM SALVADORAN
EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON DIRECTLY TO DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

3. IN VIEW OF NUMBER OF OFFICIAL NOTES FROM EMBASSY TO GOES
CONCERNING WELFARE AND TREATMENT OF U.S. CITIZENS INCAR-
CERATED IN EL SALVADOR, EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE BEING INFORMED
OF RESPONSE TO GOES INQUIRY IN THIS CASE.
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